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<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  (To be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/081,990
	Filing Date	February 20, 2002
	First Named Inventor	Buddy D. Ratner
	Art Unit	1762
	Examiner Name	Marianne L. Padgett
	Attorney Docket No.	920010.40001

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)		
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<u>Remarks</u>		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT			
Firm Name	Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC	Customer Number <b>00500</b>	
Signature			
Printed Name	Timothy L. Boller		
Date	January 30, 2006	Reg. No.	47,435

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

## Complete if Known

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$510)**

### METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 19-1090 Deposit Account Name: Seed IP Law Group PLLC

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, **except for the filing fee**  
☐ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments ☒ Charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
<u>46</u>	-20 or HP = <u>0</u> X	<u>0</u>	= <u>0</u>	Fee (\$)
				Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<u>4</u>	-3 or HP = <u>0</u> X	<u>0</u>	= <u>0</u>

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

#### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)) the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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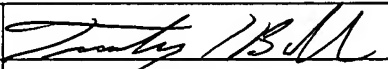
#### 4. OTHER FEE(S)

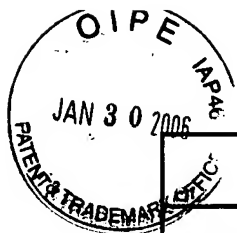
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Extension of Time (3 months)

**510**

#### SUBMITTED BY

Signature		Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	47,435	Telephone	206-622-4900
Name (Print/Type)	Timothy L. Boller	Date	January 30, 2006		

**Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form**Application No.: 10/081,990First Named Applicant: Buddy D. RatnerExaminer: Marianne L. PadgettArt Unit: 1762Status of Application: Pending**Tentative Participants:**(1) Frank Abramonte(2) Tim Boller(3) Tim Elam(4) Marianne L. PadgettProposed Date of Interview: To be determinedProposed Time: a.m. applicant's time (AM/PM)**Type of Interview Requested:**(1) ☒ Telephonic(2) ☐ Personal(3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Issues To Be Discussed**

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) Rejection	42-44, 46-48, 51-53, 56-73, 75-81, 84, 86-90 and 93-97	Andra, Noda, Galin, Morozov, Hostettler, and Ragheb	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) New Claim	98		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

Rejection of Claims 42-44, 46-48, 51-53, 56-73, 75-81, 84, 86-90 and 93-97; new Claim 98; and Applicants' arguments

for allowance over the cited art.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

**NOTE:**

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.33(b)) as soon as possible:

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

Timothy L. Boller

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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